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In re application of: **Thorsten BEISSWENGER, et al.**
Application No.: 10/777,428
Filed: February 12, 2004
For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR RESISTANCE SEAM WELDING OF A FOIL AND AT LEAST ONE FOIL SUPPORT OF A FUEL CELL SYSTEM**

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response to Restriction Requirement (1 page)** in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been previously established.
☐ Applicants assert small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27.
☒ No fee for additional claims is required.
☐ A filing fee for additional claims calculated as shown below, is required:

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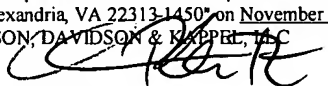
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- ☐ Also transmitted herewith are:
☐ Petition for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
☐ Other:
- ☐ Check(s) in the amount of \$0.00 is/are attached to cover:
☐ Filing fee for additional claims under 37 C.F.R. 1.16
☐ Petition fee for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136
☐ Other:
- ☒ The Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.
- ☒ Any filing fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for the presentation of additional claims which are not paid by check submitted herewith.
- ☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.
- ☒ Any petition fees for extension under 37 C.F.R. 1.136 which are not paid by check submitted herewith, and it is hereby requested that this be a petition for an automatic extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136.


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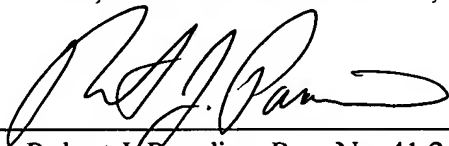
RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Sir:

In the response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 4, 2005, applicant hereby elects claims 1 to 11, drawn to a method for resistance seam welding of a foil without traverse. No fees are believed due. If any additional fees are deemed to be due at this time, the Assistant Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of the same to Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Respectfully submitted,

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